

Message

From: Parker, Robert [Parker.Robert@epa.gov]
Sent: 1/29/2015 9:50:30 PM
To: Weaver, Christine [CWeaver@mt.gov]; Quiet, Natalie [Natalie.Quiet@WestonSolutions.com]
CC: Chalfant, Mark [Chalfant.Mark@epa.gov]
Subject: RE: Hydrometrics 1985 Report

Sounds good. Thanks again Christine.

Rob

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From: Weaver, Christine [mailto:CWeaver@mt.gov]
Sent: Thursday, January 29, 2015 2:47 PM
To: Parker, Robert; Quiet, Natalie
Cc: Chalfant, Mark
Subject: RE: Hydrometrics 1985 Report

That is correct – there was nothing stamped “confidential” and it was all in our public records archive box.

From: Parker, Robert [mailto:Parker.Robert@epa.gov]
Sent: Thursday, January 29, 2015 1:53 PM
To: Weaver, Christine; Quiet, Natalie
Cc: Chalfant, Mark
Subject: RE: Hydrometrics 1985 Report

Hi Christine,

It appears we’re receiving the documents via the MT file transfer system today. Thank you so much for your help in sending these to us.

Just to be clear, the hydrogeological evaluations that you are transmitting to EPA and Weston are not considered confidential by the state and would be subject to release with an open records request, correct?

I just want to make sure that we use them appropriately.

Thanks,
Rob

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From: Weaver, Christine [<mailto:CWeaver@mt.gov>]
Sent: Friday, January 23, 2015 2:32 PM
To: Quiet, Natalie
Cc: Parker, Robert; demartin@mt.gov
Subject: RE: Hydrometrics 1985 Report

Who knows – I never used this form. I looked through the archive box, and in addition to loose stuff we have five Hydrometrics reports:

- September 16, 1985 "Hydrogeological Evaluation Columbia Falls Aluminum Company"
- February 28, 1992 "Hydrological Data Summary Columbia Falls Aluminum Company Plant Site"
- September 1992 "Results of Testing of the Shallow Groundwater System at the Columbia Falls Aluminum Plant"
- March 1993 "Assessment of Hydrologic Conditions Associated with the Closed Landfill and Calcium Fluoride Pond North of the Columbia Falls Aluminum Company Plant and Plant Water Well Number 5"
- November 1993 "Assessment of Hydrological Conditions Associated with the Closed Landfill, Calcium Fluoride Pond and Production Well number 5 at the Columbia Falls Aluminum Plant"

From: Quiet, Natalie [<mailto:Natalie.Quiet@WestonSolutions.com>]
Sent: Friday, January 23, 2015 2:22 PM
To: Weaver, Christine
Subject: RE: Hydrometrics 1985 Report

Christine,

Do I need to specify the Titles of the two additional documents we are requesting? If so, can you please provide me the titles, etc. so that I can add those to the request form?

Thank you,

Natalie

From: Weaver, Christine [<mailto:CWeaver@mt.gov>]
Sent: Friday, January 23, 2015 1:51 PM
To: Quiet, Natalie; Parker, Robert
Cc: Martin, Denise; Sharpe, Barb; Skubinna, Paul
Subject: RE: Hydrometrics 1985 Report

Natalie and Rob:

I requested admin support for copying the reports, and my supervisor requested that you complete the information request form (it is short). You can find it here: http://deq.mt.gov/wqinfo/ctss/data_management.mcp#info_requests

Please make sure to cc: me and Barb Sharpe with your submittal – we have been having some problems with our Outlook mailboxes.


Thanks!
Christine

From: Quiet, Natalie [<mailto:Natalie.Quiet@WestonSolutions.com>]
Sent: Thursday, January 22, 2015 5:08 PM
To: Weaver, Christine
Cc: Parker, Robert; Martin, Denise
Subject: Re: Hydrometrics 1985 Report

Scans of the the three reports are fine with me.

Thank you,

Natalie

 Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 22, 2015, at 4:09 PM, Weaver, Christine <CWeaver@mt.gov> wrote:

Natalie –

Is a scan of the Hydrometrics studies OK for you? I'd prefer to do the same media for you and EPA, but I guess it doesn't really matter.

If a PDF is OK with you, I will need to research how many pages I can attach to one scan document (the copier emails the PDFs and therefore a copy is limited in size – so I may be limited to ~ 20 pages per document) ... unless our copier can scan to a thumbdrive or CD or something. I will do more digging by next week and let you know the particulars.

-Christine

From: Parker, Robert [<mailto:Parker.Robert@epa.gov>]
Sent: Thursday, January 22, 2015 3:35 PM
To: Martin, Denise; Weaver, Christine
Cc: Quiet, Natalie
Subject: RE: Hydrometrics 1985 Report

Hi Denise,

Thanks for sending me this email chain. I just spoke with Natalie and we would like a copy of the documents to be a reference for our HRS package.

Christine – Do you know if this will be a scan or a hard copy? A scan would be preferred as we would need to provide multiple copies of our doc record and references (one in Denver; another in Columbia Falls). If it would be a hard copy, then I'll research how many copies we would need. Thank you!

Thanks,
Rob

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From: Martin, Denise [<mailto:demartin@mt.gov>]
Sent: Thursday, January 22, 2015 1:33 PM
To: Parker, Robert
Cc: Weaver, Christine
Subject: FW: Hydrometrics 1985 Report

Rob:

Does EPA need copies of any of the reports identified below? If so, please let Christine know. Thanks!

Denise

From: Weaver, Christine
Sent: Thursday, January 22, 2015 1:05 PM
To: Natalie.Quiet@WestonSolutions.com
Cc: Skubinna, Paul; Fairchild, Sue; Bucy, Moriah; Martin, Denise; Hall, Mark (DEQ); Sharpe, Barb
Subject: RE: Hydrometrics 1985 Report

Natalie,

We have the report! (As well as CFAC hydrogeologic reports from 1992 and 1993).

The 1985 report is bound and is over ½ " thick with worn pages and a couple of blueprints...it might take a while to copy. By any chance do you have staff in Helena that could come and make what copies you need? Otherwise, it will probably be the middle of next week. Let me know!

Thanks,
Christine Weaver
(406) 444-3927

PS If anyone else needs a copy please advise now, so whoever makes the copies can take care of it all at once.

From: Quiet, Natalie [<mailto:Natalie.Quiet@WestonSolutions.com>]
Sent: Friday, January 16, 2015 10:10 AM
To: Shaffer, Ed
Cc: Fairchild, Sue
Subject: FW: Hydrometrics 1985 Report

Hi Ed,

I am forwarding to you since Sue is out today. Is there someone that can assist me with this inquiry?

Thank you,

Natalie

From: Quiet, Natalie
Sent: Friday, January 16, 2015 10:07 AM
To: 'Fairchild, Sue'
Subject: Hydrometrics 1985 Report

Hi Sue,

I was wondering if you could help me locate a file. I am wondering if any division has the following report related to the Columbia Falls Aluminum Company
a.k.a

Atlantic Richfield Co. (ARCO) – 1977-1985

Montana Aluminum Investors Corp. (operated under Columbia Falls Aluminum Co.[CFAC]) – 1985-1999

Glencore AG (operated under CFAC) – 1999-present

OR

Site Address:

2000 Aluminum Drive

Columbia Falls, MT 59912

Report Title: Hydrogeologic Evaluation, Columbia Falls Aluminum Company, Columbia Falls, Montana

Prepared by: Hydrometrics, Inc.

Date Prepared: September 16, 1985.

If so, can you please let me know and/or send me an electronic copy?

Please let me know if you need additional information or have any questions.

Your time and assistance is greatly appreciated!

Thank you,

Natalie Quiet

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